



DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE

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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (PM/CL)

SUBJECT: Proposed Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding
Selective Reenlistment Bonus - Lump Sum Payments
(DFAS Item L-24)

The attached Interim Change 12-02 to Chapter 09 of the
Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A, is
effective upon signature of this memorandum. This change allows
payment of the Selective Reenlistment Bonus in either a lump sum
or installments.

We have evaluated your comments on the proposed change and
included your comments where appropriate. Assignment of the
interim change number is your authority to initiate procedural
modifications to implement this change. Use the attached to
initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.

for Gloria D. Harris
Jerry S. Hinton
Director for Finance

Attachment:
As stated

cc: OUSD (C) (ODCFO) (FP)
DASD (MPP) (Comp)
ODGC (F)
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USCG/NOAA/PHS Liaisons
DFAS-DDM/CL
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Selective Reenlistment Bonus**1. Change paragraph 090203 to read as follows:**

090203. Method of Payment. Payment of the SRB may be made in either a single lump sum or installments. If the bonus is paid in installments, the Military Services shall pay not less than 50 percent of the total bonus amount in an initial payment at the beginning of the period for which the bonus is paid, with the remaining amount paid in equal annual installments. The single lump sum or initial payment normally will be made on the day of reenlistment or the date a member begins serving in a qualifying extension. The single lump sum or initial payment of the SRB to an eligible individual, who reenlists with a break in active duty greater than 24 hours, will be made no earlier than 30 days after arrival at the first permanent duty station following reenlistment. Installment payments of a Zone A or B SRB are payable on the anniversary date in each year of the reenlistment period. Installment payments of a Zone C SRB are payable on the reenlistment anniversary date in each year of the reenlistment period which occur before the individual completes 16 years of active service. In either case, where there is lost time, the subsequent installment payments will be delayed by the number of days of lost time. Discharge for the purpose of immediate reenlistment does not affect a member's entitlement to subsequent SRB installment payments.

2. Add a new chapter reference and citation to the chapter 09 bibliography as follows:

090203 DoDD 1304.21, July 22, 1996